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NOTICE REJECTING SUBMISSION

OF FEE DEFICIENCY

This is a notice regarding your request for acceptance of a fee deficiency submission under 37 CFR 1.28(c), filed January 26, 2006.

37 CFR 1.28(c) states: "The deficiency is based on the amount of the fee, for other than a small entity, in effect at the time the deficiency is paid in full." Unfortunately, the credit card used to pay the fee deficiency contains an expiration date of January of 2006. Accordingly, the request for acceptance of a fee deficiency submission under 37 CFR 1.28 is hereby rejected for lack of payment.

The change of status to a large entity has been entered and made of record.

The application file is being forwarded to Files Repository.

Telephone inquiries concerning this Notice may be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3211.

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